



State of Wisconsin
Department of Health and Family Services

Jim Doyle, Governor
Helene Nelson, Secretary

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Honorable Carol Roessler
State Senator
8 South, State Capitol
Madison, WI 53702

Dear Senator Roessler:

My staff has received the list of suggested modifications that the Senate Health, Children, Families, Aging and Long Term Care Committee has recommended the Department make to CR 03-111, related to medical record copy fees.

I appreciate your efforts in bringing interested parties together in an attempt to reach a second compromise on the proposed fee schedule. Unfortunately, the recommendations forwarded by the Senate Committee on Health, Children, Families, Aging and Long-Term Care does not represent a reasonable compromise.

Therefore, out of respect for the time and effort that went into reaching the original compromise, I am not accepting the suggested modifications from the Committee. I believe that the original fee schedule compromise should be maintained.

Once again, Chairperson Roessler, I appreciate your efforts on this issue.

Sincerely,

Helene Nelson
Secretary

cc: Representative Gregg Underheim